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Setting up of Aviation Training Centres/Institutes
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the Aviation Training Centres/Institutes in the country and the norms required to be followed by them;

(b) whether some of these institutes do not meet the required standards;

(c) if so, the action taken by the Government in this regard;

(d) whether any more aviation training centres/institutes are being set up throughout the country; and

(e) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a): There are 42 flying training institutes in the country of which 26 are operational which provide training for various licences like Private Pilot Licence, Commercial Pilot Licence etc. 14 of these operational institutes are run by various State Governments, while the Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Uran Akademi (IGRUA) is an autonomous society under the Central Government. The remaining 11 institutes are run by private enterpreneurs.All the institutes have to conform to the requirements laid down by DGCA in the form of Civil Aviation Requirement, Section 7, Series `D`, Part I.

(b)&(c): 16 flying training institutes were found to be not conforming to the guidelines laid down by DGCA.Their licences have therefore not been renewed. These institutes have been advised by DGCA to take corrective measures for their revival.

(d)&(e): DGCA has received 37 proposals for setting up flying training institutes in various parts of the country, these include 5 each from Maharashtra and Tamil Nadu, 4 from Rajasthan, 3 each from Bihar, Punjab, Andhra Pradesh, Haryana and Gujarat, 2 each from Karnataka and Chhatisgarh and 1 each from Uttaranchal, West Bengal, Madhya Pradesh and Orissa.These proposals are being processed.